

# The Catholic Church of St Peter & St Paul Lincoln

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Twenty First Week of Ordinary Time - Psalter Week 1		INTENTIONS / LITURGIES / OTHER
<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August</b> 5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	<b>TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Confessions In loving memory of Giovanni Conidi RIP (30.03.20) and Maria Conidi RIP (04/05/22) devout members of this parish for over 60 years	
<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August</b> 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed	<b>TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Agostinha Rodrigues Jones RIP People of the Parish	
<b>Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> August</b> No Mass	<b>The Queenship of Mary (memorial)</b> -	
<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August</b> 2pm Mass HMP Morton Hall 7pm Mass streamed	<b>Feria</b> Staff, Inmates, and their Families Michael Barrett RIP	
<b>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August</b> 9.30am Mass streamed	<b>FEAST OF SAINT BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE</b> Intentions of Mary Mercer	
<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> August</b> 9.30am Mass streamed	<b>Feria</b> Intentions of Bella Groome	
<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August</b> 11am 12 Noon Mass streamed	<b>Feria</b> Exposition and Confessions Michael McHugh (Recovery to health) Lunches in the Parish Centre on the 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fridays	
<b>Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August</b> 11am  5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	<b>Saint Monica (memorial)</b> Confessions <b>TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Confessions Peggy Sheeran RIP	
<b>Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August</b> 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed	<b>TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Michael Barrett RIP People of the Parish	

Readers	This	6pm – H Levey	9am – J May	11am – N Amankwa
	Next	6pm – S Collingham	9am – J Clarkson	11am – E Neal
Weekend Coffee	This	9am - 11am –		
	Next	9am – 11am –		
Wednesday Coffee	This	10am – Jo and Molly For Water Fund and Parish Funds		
	Next	10am – Patricia and Brian For Water Fund and Parish Funds		
Footsteps	No footsteps over the school summer break			
Weekend Welcomers	This	6pm – Y Musson, K Collingham	9am – J May, M York, M Thompson	11am – D Rooney, T Silva
	Next	6pm – Y Musson, K Collingham	9am – K & J Clarkson, M York, M Thompson	11am – D Rooney, T Silva

WEEKLY INCOME		POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST – Small		ARTEFACTS
Standing Orders	£579.53	<b>Businesses:</b> We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating and serving their communities.		Total £9125.00 Raised £8213.34 Balance £826.56
Envelopes	£ 87.70			
Loose Plate	£284.85	<b>PLEASE CONSIDER LEAVING YOUR PARISH A LEGACY IN YOUR WILL</b>  <b>IN MEMORIAM BOOK</b> Should you wish to see your loved one's name in the anniversary book, details for insertion are below the cabinet		<b>PLEASE PARK CONSIDERATELY IN THE CHURCH CAR PARK.</b> <b>SSPP SCHOOL CAR PARK IS AVAILABLE AT WEEKENDS TO PARK IF THE PARISH CAR PARK IS FULL</b>  <b><u>PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE HYMN BOOKS IN THE LADY CHAPEL</u></b> <b><u>RETURN THEM TO THE SHELVES AT THE REAR OF THE CHURCH</u></b> <b><u>THANK YOU</u></b>
TOTAL	£952.08			
Second Collection	-	<b>300 CLUB</b> Thank you all who have joined or re-joined the 300 Club; provisionally we now have 307 members. If you are not a member, please do become one. Cost - monthly £5, quarterly £15, or yearly £60 Thank you, Canon Geoffrey 14/8/22 £100 M D Rooney No 97		
Friday Lunches	-			
Wednesday Coffee	£ 8.60			
Sunday Coffee	£151.20			
Repository	-			
Donations	£ 14.00			
Mass Stipends	£ 30.00			
Funerals Fees	-			
Wedding Fees	-			
Hall Fees	-			
Newsletters	£ 4.30			
Lady Chapel Heater	£50.00			
£3027.19	(£1127.19 still needed)			

Available In the Lady Chapel - Diocesan Year Books: £4 per copy Diocesan Newspaper: 20p

SSPP Repository is now fully operational and open after all three weekend Masses; a good selection of cards and devotional items available

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR will be in the office on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9am-5pm

**240 BOULTHAM PARK ROAD / 2A SKELLINGTHORPE ROAD: Works commence on 5<sup>th</sup> September. Site plans regarding access and car parking will be published shortly. A skip will arrive on 1<sup>st</sup> September to clear 2a and the garage of any unclaimed items. If you have not arranged to collect items from 2a and the garage, please do so asap.**

**LINCOLN'S PARISHES:** Following the Diocesan Roadshow meetings held before and after Easter and as part of a larger reorganisation of the Diocese of Nottingham, Bishop Patrick has decided that in the future the three current Lincoln parishes will unite as one parish, with three churches, to be served by two priests. There is no fixed date when this is to happen, but together with similar amalgamations across the Diocese it is hoped that this process will happen during the next two or three years. In the meantime, our three city parishes will continue with their current activities but will look for opportunities to work more closely together. It has been proposed that a group drawn from members of the three Parish Pastoral Councils will act as a steering group to begin to prepare us for the amalgamation.

**If you receive a copy of the parish newsletter by post or by email, but are now attending Mass in person regularly and no longer require this service, please let the Parish Office know. Thank you.**

**HELP NEEDED: WE REALLY NEED REGULAR VOLUNTEERS FOR SUNDAY TEAS AND COFFEES – PLEASE LET THE PARISH OFFICE KNOW IF YOU CAN FILL THE VACANCIES**

**LIVE SIMPLY:** We began our LS Challenge sheets in February 2020 and through all of covid have kept going with those involved sending me their points totals every month but we feel now the challenge has run its course and July 2022 will be the last time to send in your totals to me. We have submitted our report to Cafod to obtain the prestigious LS Award and hopefully will receive it in the very near future. However, don't stop doing all those little things to combat climate change but keep all your old sheets and the current one (available on parish website) and keep challenging yourselves to achieve a good total every month as you all have been doing for the past two and a half years. The final total for July was 947. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all so much for your hard work, you have all done a great job, it's been such a worthwhile challenge for us all and as Queen would say **don't stop now!** Tony

**MARCH FOR LIFE:** Thank you to all those who attended the coffee mornings last weekend. The sum of £151.20 was raised towards the cost of the coach to the March on 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

**ST HUGH'S RC PRIMARY:** We have been given some items of uniform to pass on to someone in need for September. If you require age 4-5 school shirts x 5, ties x 3, jumpers (size 24" x 2 or 26" x 3), blue socks x 6 pairs, PE top 26", Book Bag – please contact Tina in the Parish Office.

**UNIVERSE CATHOLIC WEEKLY:** Get the Universe Catholic Weekly free for a four-week trial. Our weekly newspaper downloads to your smartphone or tablet so you need never go out in the cold or rain for a paper. If you like our online paper, then after four weeks you'll be entitled to take out a quarterly subscription for just £20. Order your free trial now. Telephone: Michelle on 0743 661 7650, Email: [sales@universecatholicweekly.co.uk](mailto:sales@universecatholicweekly.co.uk) or visit: <https://universecatholicweekly.co.uk/subscribe>

**VACANCY** for a Prison Chaplain at HMP Stockton, Rutland (Stamford Parish). More details at <https://justicejobs.tal.net/vx/mobile-0/appcentre-1/brand-13/candidate/so/pm/1/pl/3/opp/61887-61887-Roman-Catholic-Priest-or-Deacon-or-Brother-Sister-Lay-Person/en-GB>

**DEACON DAVID'S DOUBLE CHALLENGE:** Last year Deacon David undertook a Marathon 26-mile walk raising funds for the Alzheimer's Society. This year he is doubling the challenge with two marathons in August and September. If you would like to support him by sponsoring his efforts, donations can be made at: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/trilithonramblers> or by cash/cheque directly to Deacon David. Please speak to Deacon David if you want any further information, any support would be gratefully appreciated.

**AFRICAN MASS:** There will be an African Mass at St Hugh's on **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August** at 3pm. The Mass will be in English. All are welcome to come.

**ST PETER & ST PAUL'S PRAYER GROUP:** The next Prayer Group is on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August** from 7.30-9pm in the Parish Centre. All are welcome.

**YOUTH 2000 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> August** at Ampleforth College. Families and under 18s are welcome! Go to [youth2000.org/events/summerfestival](http://youth2000.org/events/summerfestival) to book your tickets! Sponsored places are available [events@youth2000.org.uk](mailto:events@youth2000.org.uk)

This year the AOS will not be providing shoe boxes for the Seamen. However, they are in desperate need of **Woolen Hats and Chocolate** of all descriptions, Bars, Sweets and Drinking Chocolate Sachets. From the W/E of 3<sup>rd</sup> /4<sup>th</sup> September - 24<sup>th</sup> /25<sup>th</sup> September inclusive there will be a collection point in the entrance to church for your donations. 93% of all we use comes to us via the sea. The Seaman work hard with long periods away from home so thank you in advance.

**CLERGY VACATION:** I will be on vacation from 5<sup>th</sup> September to 3<sup>rd</sup> October inclusive. Please do welcome the following priests who will be supplying for the weekends I am away; Fr John Adikwu, Fr Eddy Jarosz, Fr Alex Adkins and Fr Simon Gillespie. On the Wednesdays I am away there will be a Service of Word and Communion at 9.30am. Canon Geoffrey

**PARISH EVENT - 11 SEPTEMBER:** An international meal will be held in the Parish Centre following the 11am Mass, please bring along your favourite national dish. Please contact Patricia for more information on 01522 851637.

The Lincoln **HCPT** group are travelling to Lourdes from Easter Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2023. We are looking for volunteers to help support some wonderful young people. We have a fantastic pilgrimage with activities and visits around Lourdes, as well as Mass and liturgies for young people led by HCPT. Come and find out more about us at our meeting on **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September** at 2pm at St Hugh's Voluntary Academy, Woodfield Avenue, Birchwood, LN6 0SH. For more information visit: [www.hcpt.org.uk](http://www.hcpt.org.uk) or contact Claire Pallister via [lincoln106@hcpt.org.uk](mailto:lincoln106@hcpt.org.uk)

**ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR – Autumn 2022:** You will see from posters in church that the Relics are to visit Great Britain for the first time ever. They will be in our Diocese on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October** in Saint Bernadette's Church, Scunthorpe **8am-5pm** and will then travel to Saint Barnabas Cathedral for **6.30pm on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October until 10.30am on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October**. A programme of activities including Mass, recitation of the Rosary, Anointing of the Sick, the Water Liturgy, Torchlight Procession and personal veneration of the Relics is being worked out, but hope that as many parishes, schools and communities can take the unique opportunity to come close to Lourdes, Saint Bernadette and Our Blessed Lady during this tour.

**RETOUVAILLE: A Programme for Couples Struggling in their Marriages: Help Your Marriage –** Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples who have difficulties in their marriage. It brings a positive focus, new hope and helps nourish and grow your marriage. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending and using the tools provided. The programme helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. It helps them through difficult times whether they are disillusioned or in deep misery. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on **13-16 October** or a Face to Face weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 24-26 February 2023, call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443 or email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) - or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

**ADVANCE NOTICE - CHRISTMAS FAYRE on 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> November:** The Fundraising Circle of Friends is organising the Fayre this year. It will run on **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November from 2-4pm and after all 3 weekend Masses**. If you would like to be involved, in any way, please contact either Patricia on 01522 851637, Mary on 01522 789771, or Peggy on 01522 883114 with any ideas and suggestions to make the event a success.

#### **A Prayer for Peace in The Ukraine & Europe**

Gracious God, we pray for all persons suffering from war. May they be held in your loving care and protection and given the strength to endure great suffering and hardship. Transform the hearts and minds of all those who perpetuate violence and oppression. Grant wisdom to world leaders in advancing efforts toward world peace; may they not be compromised by self-interest and blind indifference. We ask all this through the intercession of Our Lady of Lourdes and in the name of your Son Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.